

## Message Text

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FM SECSTATE WASHDC  
TO AMEMBASSY MOSCOW PRIORITY

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ABLD, ASEC

SUBJECT: EMBASSY RECONSTRUCTION, PROPERTY NO. L01001:  
SECURITY BARRIER

REF: MOSCOW 3380

1. AS A RESULT OF DISCUSSIONS WITH INTERESTED OFFICES,  
THE DEPARTMENT CANNOT APPROVE THE NEW SECURITY BARRIER AS  
PROPOSED BY THE EMBASSY.

2. FACTORS CONSIDERED IN THIS DECISION WERE:

A) THE MARGINAL TERRORIST THREAT LEVEL IN THE USSR,  
BALANCED AGAINST THE OBLIGATION OF THE DEPARTMENT TO FUND  
ANTI-TERRORIST PROJECTS IN LOCATIONS WHERE THIS LEVEL IS  
HIGH, DOES NOT WARRANT THE PROJECT'S INCLUSION IN  
ESTABLISHED PRIORITIES.

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B) PLACEMENT OF THIS PROTECTION ON THE NINTH FLOOR WOULD  
NOT DENY ACCESS BY TERRORISTS TO THE REST OF THE BUILDING.

3. THE EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO SEEK EITHER AN ALTERNATE  
DESIGN FOR THE LOBBY DOOR OR CONSIDER NOT REPLACING THE  
ONE NOW IN PLACE. VANCE

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## Message Attributes

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